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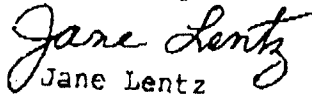
Dear Attorney Hesse:

I am writing in support of the proposed settlement agreement in U.S. v. Microsoft. The proposal presents a good compromise between Microsoft and its competitors. While it does not provide remedies that are completely satisfactory, it does allow flexibility and some middle ground for each side.

Microsoft's competitors will be allowed access to have technical information so that software developers, service providers and hardware vendors are not penalized in developing or selling products that compete with the Windows operating system.

The other remedies provided in the suit will allow the technology industry to focus on developing innovative products thus getting the economy back on track. Consumers will benefit from the renewed competition.

Sincerely,


Jane Lentz